

# PERFECT REFRIGERATION.

in our Butter, Eggs, and Lunch Meat Department.

We invite you to inspect how perfectly clean and sweet we handle these articles. Everything kept in the cool, clean, and well-ventilated refrigerators of the meat department. Our Butter, Eggs, Cheese and Cooked Meat Department is a business of itself. Consider you get not only the finest products in this line here and handled to such an advantage as no other grocer can, coupled with these facts with the following prices:

J. F. O. Butter, 25¢ a lb.  
Fresh Country Eggs, 22¢ a doz.  
Sweet Milk, always.  
Baked Lean Ham, 20¢ a lb.  
Ashland Ham, 15¢ a lb.  
Cooked Corned Beef, 15¢ a lb.  
Dried Beef, 30¢ a lb.  
We chop it.

## C. R. Yates & Co.,

Groceries and Provisions,  
No. 300 South Fairfax Street  
TELEPHONE NO. 195.

### OFFICIAL.

**NOTICE.**—An agreement has been entered into on the 30th day of April, 1906, by and between the heirs and distributees of the late Taylor W. Blunt, of Fairfax county, Virginia, whereby Henry H. Blunt and Charles T. Blunt were appointed trustees to collect any and all moneys due the estate of the said Taylor W. Blunt, to dispose of the property, real and personal, of the said Taylor W. Blunt, and to pass title to the same; to collect the proceeds of the sale of said property, and to settle the just indebtedness of the said Taylor W. Blunt.

Now, therefore, this is to notify the public that all persons who owe money to said Taylor W. Blunt or his estate must pay the same to the said trustees, and all persons having claims against and just claims against said Taylor W. Blunt to present the same to said trustees for settlement, the same to be properly verified, and that the said trustees will sell privately any and all of the said property of said Taylor W. Blunt up to and prior to 10th DAY OF JULY, 1906, and that on the said day they will expose to public sale all of the property, real and personal, of said Taylor W. Blunt then undivided of and, if all of said property is not disposed of on that day the remaining property will be sold on the days following until sold in toto. The property and estate of said Taylor W. Blunt consists of a tract of about 200 acres, lying near Gum Spring, Mt. Vernon magisterial district, Fairfax county, Va.; 2 head of horses, several head of cattle, 30 head of sheep, 300 head of pigs, farming implements and utensils, farming machinery, household furniture and goods and sundry articles of personal property, lumber, posts, field of standing grain, of standing wheat and corn, a lot of corn, and numerous other articles used on a large well-managed farm.

The said farm is well fenced and watered and is near the Washington Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Electric Railway. Terms made known on day of sale.

HENRY H. BLUNT, Trustees.  
CHAS. T. BLUNT.

### Notice to City Tax Payers.

Collector's Office, June 16, 1906.  
Notice is hereby given that the tax-bills for 1906, are now in the hands of the collector. The attention of parties interested is respectfully called to the following extract from the revenue bill of this year:

"Upon all bills paid in full by the 1st day of July, 1906, the collector of taxes shall allow a discount of ten per cent., and on all bills paid by the 1st of September, 1906, he shall allow a discount of five per cent., and on all bills not paid by the first day of December, 1906, there shall be assessed and collected a penalty of five per cent. upon the amount of said bills, and on all bills remaining unpaid on the 1st day of June, 1907, damages at the rate of six per cent. per annum shall be paid."

Tax payers would do well to call and pay at once in order to avoid the rush and crowd usually present on the last days in which the discount is allowed.

Bring a list to make sure you get bills for all your property, as the collector will not be responsible or allow the discount after the time fixed by law.

P. F. GORMAN,  
Collector of Taxes.

### TO THE OWNERS OF DOGS!

MAYOR'S OFFICE,  
Alexandria, Va., June 8, 1906.  
All persons owning or intending to keep any animal of the Dog or Canine species should cause forward on or before

JUNE TWENTY-FIFTH, 1906,  
and take out a license for the same from the Auditor. After the 30th of June all persons owning or harboring dogs without the required license are subject to a fine as the laws on the subject require, or to be imprisoned.

Complaint has been frequently made that many persons fail to take out their license, and that others pay on one or two dogs when owning and harboring more, or who send such dogs away during the summer months and bring them back in the fall.

Attention has been called to this evasion of the law, and policemen will report all such cases, and fines can be imposed upon those who fail to take out licenses after trial in the Police Court.

The police officers will be required to report all violations of this law.  
In order to avoid any mistakes persons who make application for licenses would do well to write their names and number of residence, street, etc., on a card or paper when making application for their licenses to the Auditor.

FRED. J. PAFF, Mayor.  
The following is a copy of Section 54 of the license law. "On every dog, regardless of sex, one dollar and fifty cents."

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 9th day of June, 1906,  
Alice E. Alexander

vs.  
Crawford E. Alexander

In Chancery.  
Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce by Alice E. Alexander from Crawford E. Alexander.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Crawford E. Alexander, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste:  
CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.  
By NEVELL S. GREENWAY, D. C.  
Samuel G. Brent, p. q. jct 444-f

OTTERBURN LITHIA WATER.—This water indicates in all affections due to Urine Acid, Diarrhea, Gout, Rheumatism, stone in the Bladder, Kidneys or Liver Bright's Disease, and Kidney Diseases of every form. For sale by  
WARFIELD & HALL,  
Cor. Prince and Fairfax Streets.

POMPEIAN MASSAGE CREAM cleanses where soap and water fails. Men who shave themselves or are shaved by barbers should use it. Be your own beauty doctor. Price 50¢ and \$1 per jar. For sale by  
WARFIELD & HALL,  
Corner Prince and Fairfax Streets.

A full line of BROOMS, BEATS, BROOMS and WHISKIES for sale by  
J. C. MILBURN.

## Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, JUNE 18, 1906.

### Cheap Courtship.

There lived in the town of Epping, N. H., an old man who was noted for his penuriousness. One winter the schoolteacher boarded at his house, and she had a beau who came once a week to spend the evening with her. This, of course, necessitated heating and lighting the parlor.

Nothing was said about this item of expense at the end of the term when the teacher paid her board bill, but the next day, happening to meet the young man on the street, the old man accosted him and, after a few preliminaries about the weather, remarked: "You know we've been to some little extra expense this winter running that fire in the parlor for you and teacher. I didn't say anything to her, but I thought perhaps you'd be willing to make it right."

"Why, yes," replied the young man, "I am willing to pay anything reasonable, of course. How much do you think you ought to have?"

"Well," drawled out Mr. B., "I guess 'bout 10 cents will do."—Boston Herald.

### Uniforms to Scare the Enemy.

Red uniforms were first adopted by the Emperor Valerius Maximus in order that the Roman soldiers might not be frightened by the sight of their own blood. To this day the children of England are told that this is the reason why French troops wear red trousers, and French children are taught the same notion respecting the red coats of the British. The legionaries of ancient Rome wore the skins of bears on the field of battle to make them look fierce. For the same reason they put figures of frightful beasts on their shields and helmets. From this odd custom spring modern crests and armorial bearings. The idea of scaring the enemy by such devices has been perpetuated up to quite recent times. Tall bearskin hats were originally adopted to make them look taller by the French cuirassiers, each of whom carried a handful of grenades for scattering among the ranks of their foe.

### Monkeys and Cocanuts.

The old story about monkeys climbing up coconut trees and firing nuts down on people that pass under them, as related in the old fashioned story books, is exploded by the facts," remarked a man who has been in South America. "The fact is that cocoanuts are never plucked off the trees. They are fastened on by a fiber that would require the strength of a Hercules to break, and my monkey was ever born in the world that could pluck one of them. I have read many stories about monkeys climbing these trees, but after five years' experience as a resident of Porto Cortes, Honduras, during which time my business has taken me out in the forests, I have never seen a monkey attempt to climb a coconut tree. They have no limbs, only a small bunch of foliage on the top, and each tree bears from eight to ten nuts."

### A Peculiar City.

A traveler's tale was it that Naugahau, a Siamese city, home of the royal family, is a sort of municipal harem. Its population is composed of women and children alone. It is in the center of Bangkok, has high walls around it, and its population of 9,000 there is not a single man, though the king occasionally pays a visit. There are shops, markets, temples, theaters, streets and avenues, parks, lakes, trees and flower gardens, a hall of justice, judges, executioners, police, generals and soldiers, all the positions, official and otherwise, being filled by women. The only man in all Siam who can enter this city is the king.

### The First Sapphire.

There is an Indian legend that Brahama, the creator, once committed a sin that he might know the tortures of remorse and thus be able to sympathize with mortals. But the moment he had committed it he began repeating the mantras, or prayers of purification, and in his grief dropped on the earth a tear, the hottest that ever fell from an eye, and from it was formed the first sapphire.

### Wondrous Evolution.

"In the slow evolution of the race," mused the elephant, looking with languid interest at the throng of curious gazers that stood on the outside of the ropes and fed him with cakes, peanuts and candy, "how many millions of years it must require to evolve from the shapeless and rudimentary projection on the face of the creature called man the full and perfect proboscis!"

### The Dardanelles.

The Dardanelles is celebrated in ancient history on account of Xerxes and Alexander having crossed it, the former in 480 B. C. to enter Europe and the latter in 334 B. C. to enter Asia. At the point where Alexander crossed young Leander nightly swam the Hellespont to visit Hero—a feat performed in modern times by Lord Byron.

### Making It Worse.

"What silly verses that woman is reciting!"

"I wrote them, sir!"

"Ah—oh, yes—to be sure—clever lines, but horribly delivered, don't you know. Woman must be a fool to bungle 'em so. Who is she?"

"My wife, sir!"

The many imitations of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve that are now before the public prove it the best. Ask for DeWitt's. Good for burns, scalds, chafed skin, eczema, tetter, cuts, bruises, blisters and piles. Sold by F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

### FOR OVER SIXTY YEARS.

AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Is pleasant to the taste. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup and take no other kind.

Summer prices on coal. See our advertisement in W. A. SMOOT & CO.

Ten sacks GOOD COFFEE to be roasted and sold at fifteen cents by

J. C. MILBURN.

CODFISH.—New Boned and Shredded Codfish just received by

J. C. MILBURN.

## Nadine Face Powder

Produces a Beautiful Complexion.

Soft and velvety. Remains until washed off. Purified by a newly discovered process. Harmless as water. Prevents return of discolorations. (In green boxes only.) Buy one 50c. package and money will be refunded if you are not entirely satisfied. Tints—White, Flesh, Pink, Brunette. By leading druggists or mail. Prep'd by NATIONAL TOILET CO., Paris, Tenn.

Freck of Lightning.

Mrs. Thomas Lynch was picking lettuce in her garden at No. 416 Fulton street, Union Hill, N. J., on last Sunday afternoon, when a storm descended. She went to her gate with a glass dish in her hand. Just then lightning struck so close by that her hand, touching the gate, felt the shock. She found that her fingers clasped the dish so tightly that she could not put it down. After some hours a feeling of numbness left her arm, her hand lost its cramp and she could loose her hold on the dish. Next morning the arm became black and swollen. On it, between the shoulder and elbow, pale figures began to appear. Finally they showed plainly, printed on the skin, a picture of a bird resembling a pheasant, a picture of a snake, and characters like the Chinese inscriptions on boxes of tea. The strange devices on Mrs. Lynch's arm are now a reddish color and remarkably clear.

### Damn and Hell Not Curse Words.

Mrs. E. Virginia Brown, the fashionably attired divorced wife of a Baltimore optician, startled the Criminal Court of that city last Friday by her vigorous flow of language. She was charged with being a common scold. When a policeman testified she was disorderly on the streets, she shouted, "It's a lie." It was testified she told a man she intended to "knock his block off." When Mrs. Brown took the stand she said: "I use profane language. I don't. I only say 'damn and hell,' and a lawyer once told me that they are not bad words, for a dam is a place holding water." When her attorney asked her to retire, she replied: "Not on your life. I am not through. I am a privileged woman, free-born and 21—not 23." The judge fined her \$15, and unless the money is forthcoming she will go to jail.

### A Miraculous Cure.

The following statement, by H. M. Adams and wife, Henrietta, Pa., will interest parents and others. "A miraculous cure has taken place in our home. Our child has been afflicted with a severe case of Electric Bitters, and concluded to try it. Before the second bottle was all taken we noticed a change for the better, and after taking 7 bottles he was completely cured." It's the up-to-date blood medicine and body building tonic, Guaranteed. 60¢ and \$1.00 at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store.

### Very Low Rates to Virginia Horse Shows via Southern Railway.

CULPEPER, VA., July 4—8, 1906; tickets to be sold from Washington, D. C., Front Royal, Harrisonburg, Bluemont, Warrenton, Lynchburg and intermediate points, July 3, 4 and 5; final limit July 6, 1906.

MANASSAS, VA., July 18—19, 1906; tickets to be sold from Washington, D. C., Front Royal, Harrisonburg, Bluemont, Warrenton, Lynchburg and intermediate points, July 17, 18 and 19; final limit July 20, 1906.

ORANGE, VA., July 25—26, 1906; tickets to be sold from Washington, D. C., Warrenton, Lynchburg and intermediate points, July 24, 25 and 26; final limit July 27, 1906.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., August 1—2, 1906; tickets to be sold from Washington, D. C., Front Royal, Bluemont, Warrenton, Harrisonburg, Lynchburg and intermediate points, July 31, August 1 and 2; final limit August 3, 1906.

FRONT ROYAL, VA., August 2—3, 1906; tickets to be sold from Washington, D. C., Harrisonburg and intermediate points, August 1, 2 and 3; final limit August 4, 1906.

HARRISONBURG, VA., August 14—16, 1906; tickets to be sold from Washington, Bluemont, Culpeper, Warrenton, Front Royal and intermediate points, August 13, 14, 15 and 16; final limit August 17, 1906.

WARRENTON, VA., August 29—30, 1906; tickets to be sold from Washington, D. C., Harrisonburg, Lynchburg, Front Royal, Bluemont and intermediate points, August 28, 29 and 30; final limit August 31, 1906.

For further information apply to nearest Southern Railway ticket agent.

### \$1.00 Sunday Excursion Rates.

Washington, Alexandria, Glencliff and Falls Church to Ashburn, Bluemont and intermediate stations via Southern Railway. Tickets sold Sundays only for trains 124 from Washington and Alexandria, and 121 from all points named, good returning same date on trains Nos. 124 and 130.

L. S. BROWN, Gen. Agent.

### OPENING AND CLOSING OF MAILS.

Northern mails, week days, close at 7:15, 8:55 and 11:00 a. m., and 2:00, 6:15, 8:15 and 10:15 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m., 12:00 m., and 4:30 p. m. On Sundays Northern mails close at 9:00 a. m., 2:00 p. m., and 7:30 p. m.

Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7:10 and 10:30 a. m., and 2:00, 9:30 and 10:15 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m., and 2:30 and 4:30 p. m.

Southern mails via Richmond, close at 10:30 a. m., and 3:30, 6:10 and 10:15 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m., and 1:45 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7:15 a. m., and 3:20 p. m. Open at 12:00 m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7:30 a. m., and 4:15 p. m. Open at 9:00 a. m., and 6:30 p. m.

Cheapeake and Ohio mails close at 2:00 p. m., and 10:15 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m., and 6:30 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7:15, 8:55 and 11:00 a. m., and 2:00, 6:15, 8:15 and 10:15 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m., 12:00 m., and 4:30 p. m.

Office Hours—Open at 8:00 a. m. Close at 6:00 p. m.

Sunday Hours—Open at 9:00 a. m. Close at 10:00 a. m.

Carriers' Schedule—Collection made on inside routes—6:30 and 10:00 a. m., and 3:00 and 5:30 p. m. Full route—8:00 a. m. and 3:00 p. m. Sunday collection 5:00 p. m. Carrier's window open Sunday 9:00 a. m. and close 10:00 a. m.

Deliveries made 8:00 a. m., 1 p. m., and 4:15 p. m.

All mail should be in the office ten minutes before our indicated time for closing.

### FOUNDERS AND MACHINISTS.

J. & H. AITCHESON,

PRACTICAL MACHINISTS AND ENGRINEERS.

—And Builders of—

MARINE AND STATIONARY ENGINES

Blacksmithing and Steam Fitting, Engine and Machinery Supplies, and all work promptly executed. Repairing promptly done.

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South Union Street, Alexandria, Va. Will furnish and repair all kinds of machinery, iron and brass castings, wrought and cast iron fences, mill work, ship and blacksmithing, Edge Tools, Mill Blanks, Filing Hammer, and all kinds of Mill Work made and repaired at the shortest notice and at reasonable prices. The highest market price paid for old Wrought and Cast Iron, Brass and Copper.

E. L. Daingerfield, President.  
W. H. Lambert, Vice President.

W. F. Lambert, Cashier.  
Carroll Pierce, Asst. Cashier.

## The Citizens' National Bank

OF ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Capital, \$100,000. Surplus and Profits, \$95,000.

DESIRES TO ANNOUNCE THE OPENING OF ITS

## SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.

Deposits received in this department upon the most advantageous terms Correspondence and interviews invited.

## SOME SPECIALS FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION.

MOUSSELINES in silk effects, in the latest shades, at 12½¢.  
INDIA CLOTHS, very light and cool in dot and check, something handsome and stylish, at 25¢.  
DOTTED SWISS, in flower and spray designs in all the leading colors, at 15¢.  
FRENCH LAWNS, (special lot) 4½ inches wide, at only 19¢.  
PERSIAN LAWNS, 40 inch INDIA LINES, LINEN FINISH SUITINGS, CANNON CLOTHS, etc.  
Must be seen to be fully appreciated.  
Agents for LADIES' HOME JOURNAL PATTERNS.

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### FINANCIAL



To Save Some Portion of Your Earnings Each Week.

DECIDE on a definite plan and then persist in carrying it into effect. Every man and woman must DECIDE what he or she needs individually. With many the lack of will power is the great cause—procrastination, self-indulgence. With others it is easy good habits that mean anything and everything but success. We believe we are giving you the best possible advice when we most earnestly advise you TO SAVE MONEY, for fully money saved and accumulated means permanent safety for the future. The progress of men as individuals and as a race has been made by MENTAL EFFORTS, from resolutions, from trying to do what they knew they ought to do, and from the discipline of saving. Get your money little by little, but steadily, deny yourself, economize, and as you save deposit it in our SAVINGS DEPARTMENT where it will earn 3 percent interest compounded. We sell in both small and large amounts, ONE DOLLAR will start you, so why not decide at once. BEGIN TODAY.

## Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Corporation,

Capital Paid In, \$280,000.

Authorized Capital, \$1,000,000.

### PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR SCREENING: FORT MYER, VA., June 13, 1906. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, for screening four buildings, will be received at this office until 10 a. m., June 29, 1906, and then opened. Information furnished on application. Envelopes containing bids should be indorsed "Proposals for Screening" and addressed Capt. B. B. HOFF, Q. M. 13th Cav., Q. M. 13th Cav., 13th Cav., 13th Cav.

GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S Department, Washington, D. C., June 7, 1906.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, June 29, 1906, and then opened, for furnishing and delivering to the Quartermaster and under in Bachelor Officers' Quarters and constructing feeder line and making service connections at Fort Myer, Virginia. Plans and specifications may be seen and information obtained by applying at this office. The United States reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Blank forms for making proposals will be furnished on request. Proposals must be submitted in triplicate, and the original and two copies must be submitted to the Quartermaster, U. S. A., in charge of Depot.

PROPOSALS.—Proposals will be received at the office of the City Engineer until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, June 27th, for the purchase and delivery of vitrified brick, granite curb, Portland cement, sand, gravel, and tar, and for the labor of grading, concreting and laying vitrified brick and granite curb for the new building at the corner of Royal street from King street to Prince street.

The committee on streets reserve the right to reject any and all bids or to extend the time for receiving same.

Speedy and particular can be had at the office of the City Engineer.

E. S. LEADBEATER,  
Chairman Committee on Streets.

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